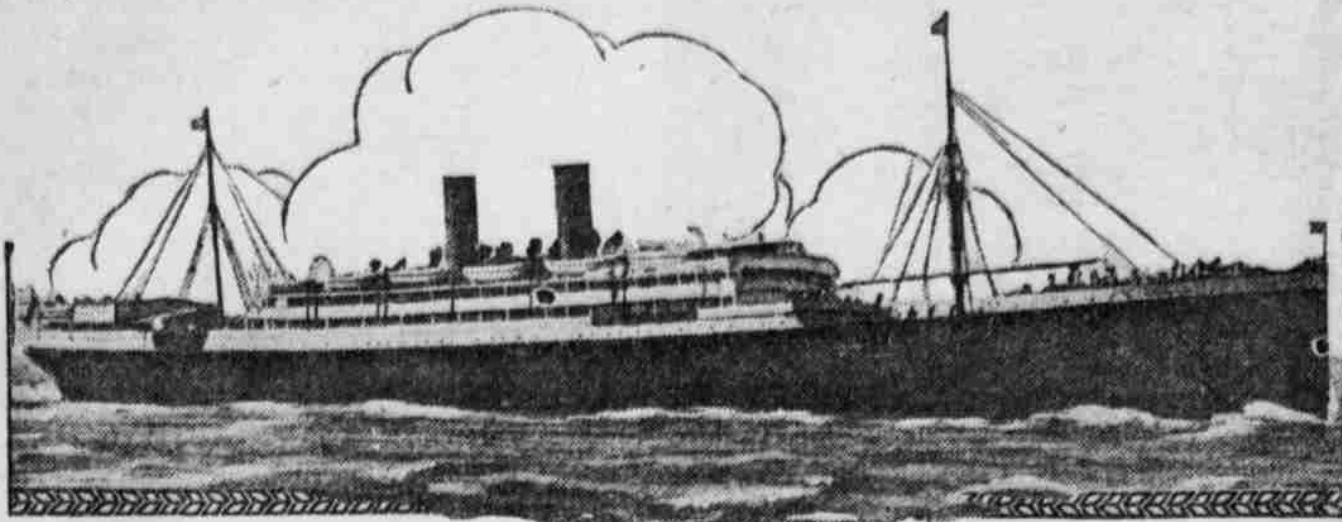


RAIDING CRUISER PRINZ EITEL FRIEDRICH



The German auxiliary cruiser which put into Newport News recently with 36 Russian and French prisoners aboard, and also the crew of the American vessel William P. Frye, which was sunk by the cruiser.

IS WELL PREPARED

Germany Thoroughly Organized to Meet War Strain.

Neutral Observer of London Times Declares Empire Shows Less Disturbance Than Other Belligerents—Determined to Fight to End.

Cologne.—The "neutral observer" of the London Times, who has been traveling through Germany, declares that the efficiency of the people is as great today as ever and that the force of all the people is concentrated scientifically on the work of defense, says a dispatch to the semi-official Cologne Gazette. The neutral observer, to his great surprise, arrived in Berlin punctually and without mishap. He thus describes the capital:

"I found in Berlin the cold, metallic, precise click of a great machine, not the throbbing heart of an empire. It is the most magnificent organization the world has ever seen. It is a man reduced to an equation of efficiency. Of each individual is required about one-half the effort of which he is capable. The result is that not only is the nation amply provided for any emergency, but ordinary life is less disturbed than in any other belligerent country.

"After six months of war Germany seems to me almost as strong as on the first day, closely united, little disturbed. The civil life of the nation appears to continue as in time of peace.

"To underestimate Germany's military reserve would be very shortsighted. Military authorities state that her class of 1915, some 750,000 able-bodied, picked men, has not been called out. Apart from these, the numbers of 'untrained landwehr and landsturm' would run into millions. Though arms and ammunition factories are working day and night, I have it from a reliable source that Germany is only just beginning to use her 1914 small arms ammunition.

"Every possible effort is being made to preserve for the future such perishable stores as are now in the market. It has been carefully determined whether, under given conditions, it will be more advantageous to keep a cow alive and obtain milk, butter and cheese from day to day and the meat at some future time or by slaughtering it to save the food which it would consume and which might be of greater caloric value to man. An understanding of German character will pre-

ELOPES WITH DOORMAN



Isabel Bernheimer, nineteen-year-old daughter of Charles Daly Bernheimer, millionaire tenant in a de luxe apartment house in Central Park West, New York, eloped with James Murray, doorman of the house, and is today known as Mrs. James Murray. Desperate efforts were made by the parents and relatives of the young bride to get her to leave her husband, but she refused all overtures and avowed, "I will never leave Jim as long as I live." James Murray was confronted with monetary offers by relatives of the girl, but all he wanted was to be left alone with his wife.

clude any possibility of drawing rash conclusions that these measures mean that Germany is on the verge of starvation.

"The Germans realize that they must now rely on themselves alone, and yet I found no weakening of spirit anywhere, but rather a grim determination to fight to the bitter end."

"WANDERING JEW" ON MOVE



After voyaging 33,000 miles between the United States and Brazil, both of which countries have denied him admission, Nathan Cohen, appropriately termed the "Wandering Jew," has just been doomed to another six weeks' trip back to Brazil. He originally came here from Brazil, but the authorities deported him back to Brazil because it was reported he was mentally unsound. Our neighbor in the southern hemisphere refused to allow him to land and the steamship company has been forced to furnish him with passage back and forth between the countries. He has traveled 33,000 miles for \$45, the price of a single steerage ticket, and there is little hope that his ceaseless voyage will soon end. The Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant society has interested itself in the case and maintains that the sea life has made Cohen sound of mind and it has applied to Washington to have him examined before a board of special inquiry.

LACONIC AND MODEST ADOLPH

Baden Private's Directions to Wife to Keep Boy Well Spanked.

Berlin.—Prizes for brevity, and a few more besides for modesty, go to a Baden peasant, who for some time has been with the forces in Flanders. His wife has just made public the following laconic letters from him. The first reads:

"Dear Wife: I am still alive, and have received your bundle. If the boy is bad, spank him. Greetings, Adolph."

Shortly after came a second:

"Dear Bertha: I am still alive, which surprises me very much. If the boy still is naughty, spank him again. Greetings, Adolph."

The third was in the form of a photograph of Adolph's troop, showing him decorated with the iron cross. No mention, however, was made of the medal, and the picture merely bore on the reverse side this brief note:

"Dear Bertha: I was wounded but am well again, and tomorrow I go at it again. If the boy is naughty, box his ears. Greetings, Adolph."

Perplexed, the wife wrote her husband demanding to know how he had received the iron cross, and received the following reply:

"It was very simple about the iron cross. The major ordered me to stand still, and the sergeant-major pinned it on. Greetings, Adolph."

Grandmother at Twenty-Nine.

Savannah, Ga.—Mrs. Josephine Davis Hill has become a grandmother at twenty-nine. She was a mother at thirteen and a widow at sixteen. She re-married at twenty.

Considerate Thief.

Mill Plain, N. J.—A thief, after stealing J. F. Lingley's gold watch, presented him with a cheap silver one he had stolen elsewhere.

Chickens Obey Whistle.

Sayville, N. Y.—Mrs. Nelson Sweeney has taught her chickens to run when she whistles a certain sacred tune.

WAR PRISON CAMPS

Germany Superior to Britain in Care of Prisoners.

Unheated Shelters, Bad Sanitary Arrangements and Insufficient Food Found in England—All Treated Alike in Germany.

Frankfort.—A German recently released from the British prison camp at Newbury, where he was interned for three months, has been investigating German camps. He compares conditions as he found them in Newbury with conditions in the typical German camp at Ruhleben, near Berlin. In arrangements for shelter, exercise, sanitation and the food supply he found the German camps superior to the British. His report is published in the Frankfort Gazette, as follows:

In the German camp at Ruhleben there is ample space for the prisoners to move about. The camp is located on a former race course, and the space behind the main pavilion and the stables is at the free disposal of the interned. They are allowed to take their exercises on the course itself for a couple of hours a day.

In the British camp at Newbury there are about 4,000 prisoners interned. Two-thirds were sheltered in tents, the remainder in the small stables of the hurdle race. Only in the space between the tents or the stables was exercise permitted. The walls of the stables cut off all view of the pleasant surrounding country. Always we had the same picture before our eyes—hundreds of people grown dull and apathetic by the uncertainty of their fate, moving around in the same small circle.

When rain or fog set in, as it does almost daily during the English winter, it was impossible to leave the tents and stables. The clay soil was soaked through, and the dirt was several inches deep. Great pools of water caused noxious miasmas. Sometimes these pools were so large that they barred the passage entirely.

When Prime Minister Asquith and Mrs. Asquith paid a visit to the camp a sailor put a stick in the mire bearing a placard, "Fishing Prohibited Here." Then he sat on a bench he had constructed and waited, holding an improvised fishing rod in his hand, until the prime minister passed the spot. Mr. Asquith shot a furtive glance at the commandant of the camp, who accompanied him. Next morning the fisherman was removed to the Isle of Man.

Day by day the administration sought to improve the system of drainage, but every time the thick mire choked it again.

On the contrary, the cleanliness in the German camp at Ruhleben is worth emphasizing. The same room that serves for nine or ten people in the English camps serves for five or six people at Ruhleben. Not a single table nor a single chair was provided by the English government during the time of my internment. Trunks were used as seats; other pieces of luggage served as tables. Two things have been arranged at Ruhleben which were entirely lacking in the English camps—covered alleys where the prisoners can stay when the weather is bad and steam heating in all the rooms.

The food which is given to the prisoners in England is not bad. The allowance, however, is not sufficient for adults.

The food in the German camps can be called ample. The treatment of all prisoners at the German camp is the same. The English millionaire has no more right than the negro. Private food is allowed, but only in exceptional cases.

In the English camps money is the most important thing. He who is fortunate enough to have money can get whatever he likes if he is on good terms with the sergeant major, the representative of the commandant. This official is particularly fond of good cigars and English pounds. Everybody in the camp agreed that this amiable man would have all the money of the German civilians in his pockets if the war lasted long enough.

Laughs; Speech Returns.

Trenton, N. J.—Charles Katoza, who was stricken dumb as the result of an accident a year ago, dreamed of a funny story told by a friend, laughed in his sleep, and upon being awakened found he could talk.

The KITCHEN CABINET

So walk where the blossoms are sweetest
And forests grow pungently green,
Where song birds are singing and
grasses are springing
The wood and the wheat fields be-
tween.
For autumn is time of fulfilling
And summer is season of mirth,
But dainty and charming, all critics
disarming,
The spring is the bride of the earth.

COMPANY DISHES.

As a first course for luncheon there is nothing more appreciated than:

Salpicon of Fruit.—Remove the skins from half a pound of white grapes and take out the seeds after cutting the grapes in halves. Cut three oranges and three grapefruits in halves and take out the pulp in sections, bruising as little as possible. Add the juice and mix lightly. Set aside and sprinkle with sugar; when chilled and ready to serve arrange in ten glasses with a sprinkling of sugar over each glass of fruit.

Larded Beef Tenderloin With Bananas.—Cut the salt pork for larding from the portion next the rind. Remove the rind, cut in slices a fourth of an inch thick and a fourth of an inch wide as long as can be cut. Chill the lardons in water before threading larding needle, insert about a fourth of an inch below the surface and draw thread through, tying in a loose knot. Put the lardons in rows and dredge the meat with flour. Sear in a hot frying pan until well browned. Then cook slowly until done, basting occasionally. Surround with small cooked bananas and serve with:

Poivrade Sauce.—Put two table-spoonfuls of the trimmings of the salt pork into a saucepan and let the fat try out. Add two slices of onion, five of carrot, two sprigs of parsley, a quarter of a bay leaf, a slice of green pepper and half a chili pepper; cook until all are softened, drain off the fat, add a fourth of a cupful of vinegar and let simmer on the back part of the stove until the vinegar is reduced to half. To the fat add enough butter to make four table-spoonfuls, add the same amount of flour and cook until smooth, then add a cupful and a half of brown stock, the vegetables and the vinegar, boil once, then strain over a half cupful of sultana raisins cooked in boiling water until tender; finish with three table-spoonfuls of currant jelly and orange juice.

Softly the evening came. The sun from the western horizon
Like a magician extended his golden wand o'er the landscape.
Twinkling vapors arose; and sky and water and forest
Seemed all on fire at the touch, and melted and mingled together.
—Evangeline.

SOME GOOD COOKING.

Macaroni in various combinations is a most palatable and nutritious dish.

Break up half a pound of macaroni and cook in three quarts of boiling water. Drain and add a table-spoonful of onion juice, two cupfuls of cold boiled ham and a rich sauce made of a cupful of milk and two table-spoonfuls each of butter and flour. Cook the butter and flour together, add the milk, season well with salt and red pepper and put all in layers in a buttered baking dish. Bake until well heated.

Spiced Tongue.—Take a fresh calf's tongue, put it into boiling water and let it simmer for two hours. When it is done the skin will peel off. Put four table-spoonfuls of butter in a saucepan and when boiling hot, add a cupful of small onions, one red pepper, 1½ table-spoonfuls of salt and a table-spoonful of vinegar, two small carrots, one-half pound each of dates and raisins, all chopped, then add a pint of the liquor in which the tongue was cooked and simmer for one hour. Remove the tongue, thicken the sauce and pour it over the tongue.

Fig Tapioca.—Soak two-thirds of a cupful of tapioca in three cupfuls of cold water over night. In the morning add a half cupful of brown sugar, two-thirds of a cupful of diced figs and the same amount of walnut meats, with a table-spoonful of vanilla; steam for one hour before adding the vanilla. Chill and serve with sweetened whipped cream.

Hickories.—Take a cupful of light brown sugar, two eggs, a little salt, a cupful of flour, two table-spoonfuls of baking powder, a cupful of hickory nut meats and milk to make a soft mixture to drop from the spoon. Bake in a moderate oven.

Penn Descendant Dies at Front.

The Pennsylvania Society of New York has issued memorial cards in honor of Viscount Northland and the late W. U. Hensel. Viscount Northland died in France from wounds received at La Basse. He was the son and heir of the earl of Ranfurly, honorary member of the Pennsylvania society, and was a direct descendant of William Penn. Viscount Northland was an officer in the famous Coldstream Guards and was awarded a medal for services in the South

This world's a pretty good sort of a place.
Taking it all together:
In spite of the grief and sorrow we meet,
In spite of the gloomy weather,
There are friends to love, and hopes to cheer
And plenty of compensation
For every ache, of those who make
The best of the situation.

THE CHILD'S LUNCHEON.

A large percentage of mothers all over the land have the ever-present lunch-box problem to solve each day. Some where an ingenious mother who had four other friends, each with a child to send with a lunch basket, proposed that once a week each prepare a basket lunch for the five, in this way saving the daily task for each. The mothers could do with pleasure once a week what was such a bugbear in its frequency. The mother knows that her child's mentality as well as his physical power depends upon his food largely and the growing child should have nourishing, plain, wholesome and easily digested food.

The child naturally craves sweets and they should be given in moderate amount, as they are necessary to furnish fuel. Sweets should be given at the close of the meal so that they may not clog the taste for the substantial things as they do if given before or at the beginning of a meal.

Another important point to remember with children is that their digestive processes are much more rapid than with adults, and they need a good, substantial lunch.

Eggs cooked hard and well seasoned make a most satisfactory sandwich filling. Thin slices of meat between well-spread slices of bread. The sandwich is an important factor, and should have first place. Bottles now may be bought at a small price which will hold a hot drink or soup, cocoa and milk being the drinks best for the child.

Fresh fruit, an apple or an orange, a cake of sweet chocolate or a few pieces of good candy make a well-enjoyed finish to a meal. The child loves a surprise, will eat with relish and digest a meal much better if it is something that comes as a surprise. Cup custards are most delicious desserts, rice with custard and raisins make another simple and tasty one.

Reading is to the mind, what exercise is to the body. As by one, health is preserved, strengthened and invigorated; by the other, virtue (which is the health of the mind) is kept alive, cherished and confirmed.—Addison.

FAVORITE DISHES OF OTHER NATIONS.

As America is made up of all nationalities a few dishes which speak of the motherland will be pleasant reminders.

Cook-a-leekie.—Chop two pounds of veal and put to soak in a gallon and a half of cold water for an hour. Heat slowly and simmer until the liquor is rich. Pour this over a roasting capon or fowl and cook five minutes. Remove the fowl, bone it, chop fine and return to the pan. Add a pint of leeks, season and cook until the leeks are tender.

Spanish Macaroni.—Fry onions in a bit of butter and olive oil until brown, add a table-spoonful of Worcestershire sauce and a table-spoonful of chili powder. Put a half cupful of macaroni into boiling water, salted, and cook until tender, about twenty-five minutes. Place the drained macaroni in a buttered baking dish and pour the onions and half a can of tomatoes over it. Mix well and sprinkle with grated cheese.—Bake a half hour in a moderate oven.

English Stuffed Ham.—Select a fresh-cured ham and have the bone removed. Fill with a stuffing made of bread crumbs, parsley, green pepper, chopped, and seasonings of salt and pepper, with butter to make the richness. Tie up securely and inclose the ham in a paste of flour and water to keep the juices from escaping. Tie in a cloth and put into a pot of boiling water and simmer gently for two or three hours, allowing twenty minutes for each pound weight. After the ham is cooked remove the crust, pare off the skin carefully, so as not to injure the shape of the ham, put into a roasting pan, sprinkle with crumbs, and roast, allowing six minutes to the pound.

Nellie Maxwell.

African war. In the death of Mr. Hensel the society "deplores the loss of one of its most brilliant members, a man whose services to his nation and state have been written in lasting fame, and whose deep interest in our association was strengthening, helpful and kind."

At the Sociable.

He—I am sure we have met before. Didn't we go to school together?
She—Sure we did. Don't you remember—you were my teacher.

ALLEN, NEB., WOMAN ESCAPES THE KNIFE

For years Mrs. L. H. Jeffrey of Allen, Neb., suffered from serious illness. She had dangerous stomach derangements.

Mr. Jeffrey learned of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. He investigated. He wrote to a man who had used it. Assured of the absolute safety, he gave a dose to Mrs. Jeffrey. The help it gave his wife is told in a letter he wrote to a Sioux City druggist:

"I wish to say a few words in commendation of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy for what it has done for my wife. She has been troubled with gall stones for years. I saw George H. Mayr's advertisement of his wonderful stomach remedy, so I sent for a bottle. When I got it the dose was so large that I was afraid to give it.

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Going Too Far.

"There is no way of conquering the overbearing and dictatorial attitude of a man," remarked the determined-looking woman.

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Marriage is a tie, but then so is the relationship that exists between a tin can and a dog's tail.

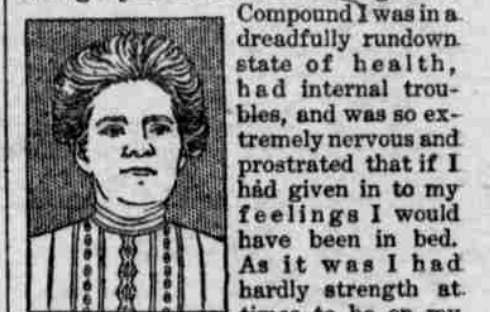
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"After taking the second bottle I noticed that the headache was not so bad, I rested better, and my nerves were stronger. I continued its use until it made a new woman of me, and now I can hardly realize that I am able to do so much as I do. Whenever I know any woman in need of a good medicine I highly praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound." — Mrs. FRANK CLARK, 3146 N. Tulip St., Richmond, Pa.

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